## H. R. 1741.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

APRIL 7, 1913.

Mr. Griest (by request) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Library and ordered to be printed.

## A BILL

To construct a Lincoln memorial highway from the White House, Washington, District of Columbia, to the battle field of Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 That as a national tribute of affection to Abraham Lincoln,
- 4 late President of the United States, a great memorial high-
- 5 way, not less than two hundred feet wide, be constructed
- 6 from the neighborhood of the White House, in the city of
- 7 Washington, District of Columbia, to the battle field of
- 8 Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania.
- 9 Sec. 2. That for the construction of the said memorial
- 10 highway, the building of an appropriate architectural
- 11 entrance to the highway in the city of Washington, and a
- 12 fitting terminal structure on the battle field of Gettysburg
- 13 the sum of \$3,000,000, or so much thereof as may be

- 1 necessary, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of
- 2 any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.
- 3 SEC. 3. That the said memorial highway shall be con-
- 4 structed under the direction of a commission, the members
- 5 of which shall be appointed by the President of the United
- 6 States. The President of the United States shall also fix
- 7 the compensation and the tenure of office of the commis-
- 8 sioners appointed under authority of this Act.

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